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From: Wirick, Holiday [wirick.holiday@epa.gov]

Sent: 12/28/2021 2:59:39 PM

To: DIV.FFX.WQSClearinghouse [WQSClearinghouse@tetratech.com]

Subject: Re: North Dakota WQS

Thank you!

From: DIV.FFX.WQSClearinghouse < WQSClearinghouse@tetratech.com>

Sent: Tuesday, December 28, 2021 7:58 AM
To: Wirick, Holiday wirick.holiday@epa.gov

Subject: RE: North Dakota WQS

Hi Holly,

We can absolutely wait and check in on the action in the new year.

Enjoy the holidays!

Katelin

From: Wirick, Holiday <wirick.holiday@epa.gov> Sent: Wednesday, December 22, 2021 2:14 PM

To: DIV.FFX.WQSClearinghouse <WQSClearinghouse@tetratech.com>

Subject: Re: North Dakota WQS

Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP)

Thanks - and have a great holiday!

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From: DIV.FFX.WQSClearinghouse <WQSClearinghouse@tetratech.com>

Sent: Wednesday, December 22, 2021 11:40 AM **To:** Wirick, Holiday <<u>wirick.holiday@epa.gov</u>>

Cc: DIV.FFX.WQSClearinghouse < <u>WQSClearinghouse@tetratech.com</u>>

Subject: North Dakota WQS

Hi Holly,

We recently received notification of EPA's partial action on North Dakota's 2021 Triennial submission. Do you prefer that we wait for action on the pending items, or (if you expect the further action might take a while), would you like us to prepare an interim update noting the items that are still pending action?

Thanks! Katelin

----Original Message----

From: WQSclearinghouses@epa.gov <WQSclearinghouses@epa.gov>

Sent: Monday, December 13, 2021 10:32 PM

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Subject: Action Taken on WQS Submission: NORTH DAKOTA (submitted 6/18/21)

One or more actions were recently taken on the subject WQS submission. This submission can be viewed or updated by following the link below.

Submitter: NORTH DAKOTA (Region 8)

Submitted: 6/18/21

Title: 2021 Triennial Review and Revisions to N.D. Admin. Code ch.33.1-16-02.1

Submission Link:

https://wata.epa.gov/wata/wata4/index.cfm?submid=11648

Description: 2021 triennial revisions include updates to freshwater ammonia criteria, updates to chronic aquatic life criterion for mercury, addition of selenium fish flesh criterion, updates to pH for Class 1 and 1A streams, removal of the site-specific ammonia criteria applied to the Red River of the North (beginning at 12th Avenue bridge in Fargo, ND, and continuing north approximately 32 miles), changes to the example of the hardness dependent criteria for cadmium, chromium (III), copper, lead, nickel, silver and zinc from a hardness of 100 mg/L to 400 mg/L (to more accurately reflect the hardness in ND waters), and updates to formatting, editorial changes to tables, and correction of typographical errors.

Submission Parts and Status:

- ** Approval of WQS Subject to ESA Consultation: Approval (Subject to ESA Consultation) on 11/30/21
- ** Approval of WQS with No Further Action Needed: Approval (No Further Action Needed) on 11/30/21
- ** Closure of review on parts of a submission without approval or disapproval: Incomplete/Withdrawn on 11/30/21